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MIXOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co.
Reiter, tailor, Fall goods cheap.

A single marriage license was granted yesterday. The possessors are Peter Fuchs and Lizzie Meyer.

It is rather cold weather for prosecuting outdoor work, but for all that Ninth avenue grading is being pushed rapidly forward.

For several days past Christ Jacobson, employed by A. J. Mandel, has been dangerously ill, but is now recovering slowly.

The contracts for the county printing, stationery, business and legal, have been awarded to the lowest bidder, J. H. Schmitt.

General supplies will be let by the board of supervisors to-day.

Ida Washington's place was raided by the police about 9 o'clock last evening and two of the inmates, including Ida herself, were arrested and locked up.

The great social event this week is the reception of President and Mrs. MacConnell at the club rooms this evening. The affair promises to be both elegant and enjoyable.

The Apollo club concert at the opera house to-morrow evening will be a musical treat indeed. If sufficient appreciation is shown by the patrons, other choice concerts will follow during the season.

A citizen suggests that the street railway company should enlarge its barns so as to accommodate its street car. This was left on Pearl street last night to the great annoyance of travelers.

Arthur Smith, son of Peter Smith, who resides at 525 Main street, has been awarded the lucky ticket which drew the organ at the Mueller Music company's prize distribution. The instrument was delivered to him yesterday.

The proprietors of the hardware stores of the city have agreed to close their places of business during the winter months at 5 o'clock in the evening. The claim is made, and it is a good one, that the trade after that hour does not pay the expense incident to keeping open.

William Lewis has a large sleigh fitted up finely for taking out parties of from fifteen to twenty persons. Those desiring accommodations of this sort can find no better, and should leave their orders at the office, at Moore & Kiplinger's, 419 Broadway, or call him up by telephone.

The estate of the late Stephen Dunn was found to be in unusual condition, there being but one claim against it, and that for a little over \$1. This was paid at once, leaving the estate clear, a pretty good quantity. Mr. Dunn was very prompt and careful in his business matters and never allowed bills to be hovering about.

P. C. Miller has added one to the line of elegant delivery wagons which are now seen daily upon the streets. The improvement in this class of vehicles has been very marked here during the past two years, and Council Bluffs shows up well in this respect, making quite a metropolitan appearance. The new one of Mr. Miller's is one of the best.

Some changes have been made in the fire department in order to equip the new truck. There are now twelve full paid men, besides the "call" men. Council Bluffs can go on record as having the best fire protection, with the least number of men, of any city of any size in the country.

In connection with St. Paul's church an organization for the young girls has been formed, to be known as the St. Agnes guild. The object is to instruct the members in the confirmation services of the church, the requirements of church members, and for the purpose of doing general church work. Mrs. Josephine is chosen as secretary, and Miss Nellie Haldane treasurer.

There has been some wondering why the weather signal flags remained unchanged for about a week. One of the boys in the office was asked if they didn't get any more reports. "Oh, yes; we get the reports all right, but it's been so awful cold that the windows and hang the flags out, it chilled the rooms too much." Now that it has moderated somewhat the flags are changed occasionally.

Ex-Coroner Faul has been hunting up the relatives of the unfortunate Kelley, who was recently killed by a falling brick. He received word from St. Louis, that Kelley had formerly worked there and that he had relatives living in Peoria. Mr. Faul wrote there and has received a letter from an uncle of Kelley, who says that if identification is made complete he will see to it that the body is taken up and carried to Peoria for final interment.

There is some soft coal being burned in Council Bluffs than in any previous season. Many who have heretofore used hard coal to some extent have abandoned it entirely. The price of coal, \$11.50 a ton, makes economy necessary. It is difficult to see, however, how it is any economy for the county to use soft coal in heating the new court house, for the building is having its exterior smoked up in a manner which causes more damage than the extra price of hard coal.

Mayor Rohrer is the fourth mayor sworn in during the present term. Colonel Chapman was elected for two years, but had served but a short time when death took him hence. Then J. F. Evans was chosen to fill the vacancy until the people could elect a mayor, at which election Mayor Groneweg was chosen. Now he has resigned and Mr. F. Rohrer is called upon to fill the vacancy. He will probably hold until the spring election, and there will be a contest for the voters then insisting on his continuing.

Sometime during the month of June, 1887, a young girl left her home in a town just east of the city and came to Council Bluffs to seek employment. Her parents were very anxious to do and eminently respectable, and protested against this move, but consented at last, supposing that a few weeks' absence of this kind would satisfy the child (for she was but sixteen years of age), and that she would return home. Arriving here she applied for work at one of the shops of the city. After working until October she told her employer she was going to learn the barber trade in one of the shops of the city. She left the hotel and little was known of her movements until her parents appeared here yesterday and took their daughter home with them. The affair has created some street gossip, but in the interest of parties concerned as little publicity as possible should be given the matter.

Opium, morphine habits cured. Dr. Bellinger, 614 B. way, Council Bluffs.

Mueller Music Co.'s Prizes.
The following numbers have drawn prizes at the store of the Mueller Music company: Ticket No. 4,208 drew the organ. Smaller prizes as follows: 6,276, 5,418, 5,419, 5,441, 6,304, 6,394, 5,176, 5,425, 6,315, 4,286, 6,280, 4,074, 6,366, 4,856, 4,690, 5,448, 3,664, 6,804, 3,658. Those who hold these tickets are requested to call and claim their prizes.

Two Pair, Queens Up.
Yesterday two applications for divorce were filed in the office of the county clerk. Fannie Walker states that she was married to Samuel Walker November 27, 1886, in Boone county, Indiana. She has been a resident of Council Bluffs twenty-four years. The said Samuel has deserted her, hence the petition. Isabel Mort charges the same against the instant defendant. Ezra, they were married July 15, 1869, at Nebraska City, Neb. She has been a resident of this city for twenty years. The cases will come up for hearing at the next session of the district court.

Guns of all kinds at Odell & Bryant's, 504 S. Main St.

A fireinsurance for sale—T. B. Baldwin.

Every one making a cash purchase of 25 cents at T. D. King & Co.'s cigar store gets a chance in the annual prize drawing. Twenty elegant prizes.

Cross-cut saws. Odell & Bryant.

THE NEWS IN THE BLUFFS.

The Demand For a Union Depot For Local Purposes.

THE FREE LIBRARY'S SHOWING.

Increase and Progress Mark the Year's Record—Larger Rooms Asked For—The Youthful Democrats—Street Car Accident.

About the Union Depot.

Little has been heard of late about the union depot project. It is understood that most of the land required has been secured, and it remains for the roads centering here to co-operate in the enterprise, and push it to completion. This seems a very opportune time for such a move. There is not a local depot in this city worthy of a good country station, unless it be the Milwaukee & St. Paul, and even that is not in keeping with the size and importance of Council Bluffs.

It is a neat little depot, and would answer well for some country town, or for some suburban station. Most of the depots are old shells, a disgrace to the companies which occupy them, and a shame to the cities in which they are located. Lack of local depots has been patiently borne, because of the belief that ere long a grand union depot, centrally located, would be built. It is understood that all the companies with two exceptions, are heartily in favor of building an up-town union depot, and the delay is said to be due to the unwillingness of the railroad companies, who do not openly oppose it, but are not enthusiastic enough to hurry.

The citizens who belong to the union depot company should get their prodding stick in hand and stir a little life into those who are hanging back on the project.

The Public Library.
The annual report of the trustees of the public library shows an increase in the number of books during the past year of 1,078, the total number now being 7,161. The total expenditures have been \$2,440. The number of registered book takers is 2,100, an increase of 265 during the past year. The number of books taken out was 27,680. Of these the classification shows fiction to be still in the lead, with 16,651 volumes; poetry, 3,774; history and geography, 3,612; travels, 1,769; natural science, 1,665; theology, 422; philosophy, 326. In closing their report the trustees say:

In addition to the foregoing statement it gives us great pleasure to report the continued prosperity of the Council Bluffs free public library. Basing our judgment upon the steady increase in the number of books on our shelves, and the number of people who resort to its rooms, and improve the advantages it offers, we are satisfied that our free public library is a useful and perfect factor for the education of the youth of our city, as well as of the intellectual pleasure and improvement to all classes of our citizens.

Although the amount of money received from the city treasury has been very limited, falling even below that of the two preceding years, we have by careful economy been able to add more than 1,000 new volumes to our list of registered books. Including public documents, we now have fully 10,000 volumes of the best and most useful literature on our shelves.

The rooms now occupied for library purposes are steadily becoming too small and cramped for the accommodation of its many patrons and its steadily increasing proportions.

We cannot refrain from expressing the hope that some way will be found by which our city will in the near future provide quarters more adequate for the use and accommodation of this most beneficial institution and its patrons.

Money to loan. Cooper & Judson.

Splendid Business Opening.
For the right man who has a capital of \$10,000. For full information call on or address Forrest Smith, 14 Pearl st., Council Bluffs, Ia.

Street Car Accident.
A horse belonging to the street car company was disabled yesterday afternoon at the sixth siding in front of the Western house on upper Broadway. Car No. 4 going east was considerably behind time, and the driver was trying to make it up. No. 2, westbound, was waiting on the siding and as the other approached the horse attached to it, doubtless excited by a hard run, swerved to the left and struck head first against the waiting car. The momentum of the moving car was so great that when it struck the horse it completely doubled him up and threw both cars from the track. As a spectator expressed it, "The horse was shut up like a jackknife."

Dr. Cady was called to attend the horse and see if its back was broken, as seemed probable. It was removed on a stone boat to the company's stables and may recover. The speed with which the car was driven just before the accident was so great as to attract attention. The horse was running furiously, and man and animal were unable to control it. Fortunately no passengers were injured. It looks as though a little interference by the police would prevent a repetition of such an offense.

For best quality coal and wood, call on Gleason, 26 Pearl street.

Young Democracy.
The young men's democratic club has elected as officers, the following: President, J. H. Dietrich; vice-presidents, Charles Walters, Wade Cary, Patrick Lacy, D. Gleason; secretary, C. M. Maynard; financial secretary, F. H. Guannella; treasurer, J. M. Shea. One of the rooms in the opera house will be fitted up for the club.

Arrangements are also made for the old hickory dance to take place next Monday evening in temple hall, and the canvass for the sale of tickets has commenced vigorously.

St. Peter's Donors.
The work on St. Peter's church is being pushed rapidly along toward completion. The plasterers are smoothing up their work and will be through to-morrow. Next week the frescoers will begin operations. The stained glass windows are the gifts of private individuals, and the names of the donors appear at the bottom of each. The givers are as follows: Joseph and Anna Mueller, Anthony and Barbara Rosner, Leonard and Paulina Seubert, Magdalena Weber, Peter and Emma Beck, Herman and Elizabeth Kohling, Mrs. Eva Riekerman, Mr. and Mrs. Jay, Mr. and Mrs. John Emig, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Howarth, Anna Leutzing, Emelia Mergen, Adolph and Veronica Schott, Edward and Anna Stockert, Thomas and Wilhelmina Galar, Joseph and Theresa Schmitt, Henry and Elizabeth Toller, Henry and Anna Paschal, in memory of Frank Wilhelm, Peter and Mary Bartel, and Oliver and Mary Lauer.

The edifice has been in course of erection but six months, the cornerstone having been laid on July 17. It was expected to have the building ready for dedication about the first of the year, but the non-arrival of material caused the delay.

For bargains in real estate, go to Johnston & Van Patten, 31 Main st.

The County Board.
At yesterday's session of the county board of supervisors the petition of the Council Bluffs Driving Park association for remission of the taxes since and including 1885 was granted. The action of the city council in reducing the assessment of J. D. Edmundson on manufactures was concurred in. The official bond of S. V. Pratt, justice of the peace in Norwalk township was approved.

Between Two Lovers He Stands.
Jake and Ida Washington are a dusky couple living in the western part of the city, but their family relations for the past few weeks have not been of the pleasantest kind. Jake has quite a yearning after some of the frailties of color and complexion, and some time Ida has entertained serious doubts as to his fidelity. The lodestone that seemed to draw him from home with the greatest power was Jennie Armstrong,

an inmate of the Coy house on lower Broadway, and last evening Ida wended her way thither with blood in her eye and a club in her hand, to exterminate the destroyer of her domestic happiness. It did not take long after her arrival for the row to begin, and the air was soon full of loud, hoarse, and abusive cries. The whole colored element of the city seemed to be present, when the police appeared and conveyed the combatants to the station. After being only booked they were taken to the county jail and locked up. While riding along Broadway in the patrol wagon, the dusky warrior indulged in language much more forcible than polite, despite the efforts of the officers to keep her quiet. The parties will appear before Judge Johnson this morning and explain the full details of the rupture.

List of the Lucky Ones.
The holders of the winning tickets at T. D. King & Co.'s holiday distribution are as follows:

1st prize—No. 120, George Ettinger.
2nd prize—No. 1,449, J. Cochran.
3rd prize—No. 1,394, J. B. Fitzgerald.
4th prize—No. 1,364, F. H. Guannella.
5th prize—No. 1,044, J. Johnson.
6th prize—No. 1,670, Joe Howarth.
7th prize—No. 1,093, C. A. Farlowe.
8th prize—No. 256, John Cranny.
9th prize—No. 1,673, John Schmitt.
10th prize—No. 1,512, P. Britton.
11th prize—No. 703, J. Hill.
12th prize—No. 1,620, Hob. Young.
13th prize—No. 1,977, William Test.
14th prize—No. 1,002, J. M. Rhodes.
15th prize—No. 603, John Oleson.
16th prize—No. 578, George J. Broadway.
17th prize—No. 1,405, blank.
18th prize—No. —, Nick O'Brien.
19th prize—No. 1,284, Antonio Heizer.
20th prize—No. 117, F. R. Merrill.

Caned By a Board.
Last evening R. F. Jones was agreeably surprised by his colleagues of the board of supervisors. He is the outgoing member this year, and to commemorate friendly association and show the respect in which he is held by his associates they purchased from Burhorn and presented him with a beautiful cane. The stick is ebony and the head gold and beautifully chased. Upon it is the inscription: "Presented to R. F. Jones, by the board of supervisors." It is a worthy gift worthily bestowed and it will be appreciated, not for its intrinsic value alone but for the merited friendship which it represents.

Personal Paragraphs.
Miss S. D. Helise is confined at home by illness.
Robert P. Foss, an attorney of Harlan, is in the city.

Riley Clark, Neola's ex-mayor, visited the Bluffs yesterday.

Dr. C. B. Judd has gone to Chicago on a short business trip.

Mr. S. C. Key has returned from a visit to friends in St. Joseph.

Mr. Oaden, of the Orden Iron works, is confined at home by illness in the city.

C. H. Harris, of Bartlett, Ia., was in the city yesterday the guest of John B. Christian.

Mr. Thomas Herry is suffering from severe indigestion and is confined to his room at Kiehl's hotel.

Henry Weise, of Seiffert & Weise, Avoca, was here yesterday on business with the county board.

H. T. Jones, of Carson, the retiring member of the board of supervisors, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Emma L. Morse has connected herself with the business department of the domestic parlors.

Miss Florence Root, of Keokuk, will arrive in the city to-day and remain for a time the guest of Mrs. George Metcalf, on Second avenue.

B. F. Wadsworth, of the firm of Wadsworth, Etnyre & Co., is visiting with relatives in Oregon, Ill. Mr. C. D. Etnyre, of the same firm, and his wife, are in the city, expected to arrive in this city to-day.

W. M. Danner, assistant state secretary of the Y. M. C. A., is assisting the new local secretary, Mr. Baker, in getting the work here well in hand. Mr. Baker is forming acquaintances rapidly and is making a favorable impression.

The following representatives of bridge building companies are in the city: J. B. Marsh, Kansas City Bridge company, Des Moines; P. H. Everhard, Canton Bridge company, Kansas City; H. S. Wetherell, King Bridge company, Des Moines.

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Squeezing the Crooks.
The examinations of Quirk and Hall, the confidence swindlers, were completed yesterday. Their trial is set for next Tuesday.

The testimony given is not positively to other than the court officials, although it is generally understood to be very damaging to the prisoners. Their attempt to prove an alibi did not result as he expected, and he will probably go to the pen.

The Central drug store, under the management of J. D. Stuntz, has been enlarged and refurnished with a complete stock of fresh drugs. A fine holiday line of books, stationery, cutlery and musical goods at very low prices.

If you desire to get a new Hall type writer cheap, drop a postal card to H. A. P., Box office. A great bargain for the first who applies.

Kicked By a Horse.
Yesterday morning Harry Smith, the eleven-year-old son of C. H. Smith, who resides on Graham avenue, was severely injured by being kicked by the family horse. The little fellow was playing in the stable, and on approaching the animal while at his play, the beast let out a vicious kick which the boy senseless upon the floor. He was soon discovered and removed to the hospital, and taken to the house. Medical attendance was summoned under which the lad revived. He was badly cut about the face, but it is not expected that he will be permanent, although they are severe.

For Sale Cheap—Lots near the bridge to parties who will build at once. Address or call on J. R. Rice, No. 110 Main street, Council Bluffs.

A Slick Man From Chicago.
Kansas City Journal: "No, they don't play poker at the clubs in Kansas City," said a well-known club man yesterday afternoon as he removed his cigar to give more freedom to his hilarity. "Or, rather, there are some few club men who won't play poker for many days to come," and the audible smile was once more renewed.

"What has been going on?" "While it is a joke, it has been an expensive joke to half a dozen gentlemen who were taken in. If you had been around the Coatee house about four weeks ago you would have heard of the sale of an old middle-aged gentleman who arrived that evening from Philadelphia. If you had had occasion to interview him you would have written him up, in all probability, as an eastern capitalist, and who had arrived in Kansas City to look around with a view of investing."

"What was he in reality?" "You are not the only one who has asked that question, but the great trouble with the others was that they did not ask it soon enough. He inquired of many of the agents for rare bargains, enjoyed rides to many new additions, was trotted over elegant pieces of property, partook of numerous superb dinners and was constantly receiving favors of various kinds. Among other things he was introduced into one of the clubs. Of course he had played some

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Corned Beef as Medicine.
Boston Herald: A well-preserved old citizen is Mr. Seth Bryant, now eighty-seven years of age, who is quite as active as most men of sixty. His reminiscences of old business men are very entertaining. For many years he was of the firm of Mitchell & Bryant in the shoe and leather business. He tells the story of an old middle-aged man who died at the age of one hundred and seven years, who at the age of one hundred and upward was visited by the family physician for some trifling ailment and pronounced to be in a dying condition. The doctor departed from him on the early in the evening, after leaving a dose of medicine, and informing the family that the patient could hardly survive until morning. After the physician's departure, the old man woke up from his nap, and requested his attendants to bring him up a dish of corned beef and cabbage, also a mug of hard cider. This substantial meal being stowed away, the old man enjoyed a good night's rest. Next morning the doctor called and inquired "Is the old man yet alive?" "He is," was the reply, "go up and take a look at him." The disciple of Esculapius was very much surprised to see the old man sitting up in his chair and quite jolly. "Ah!" said he, "I thought you were wondering for you didn't think I'd die," replied the contented, "I didn't take a bit of it."

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